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Dear Sir:

In response to the election requirement in the Office Action of January 13, 2009, Applicant hereby elects <u>with traverse</u> Species II, a light emitting device comprising a first layer for generating a hole is in contact with the first electrode, and the light emitting element emits light when a voltage is applied between the first electrode and the second electrode such that a potential of the second electrode is higher than that of the first electrode. Claims 2-7, 10-17, 19-24, 27-28, and 31-38 read on the elected species. However, Applicant believes that claims 1, 8, 9, 18, 25, 26, 29, and 30 are also readable on the elected species, because claim 1 was previously amended to recite "a potential of the <u>second</u> electrode is higher than that of the <u>first</u> electrode," similar to the recitation of the other independent claims. Thus claims 1-38 are subject to examination at this time.

Examination on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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